





## Social Activities

Mrs. Will Kendrick, Social Editor  
Phone 28

### MUSIC LOVERS' CLUB MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. BRYAN

Mrs. T. B. Bryan and Mrs. George Collier were hostesses to the Elba Music Lovers' Club for the March meeting at the home of Mrs. Bryan. The reception room was adorned with early spring flowers in attractive arrangement.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. J. A. Carney, President. Mrs. J. W. English, Secretary, called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting. After a short business session the meeting was turned over to the Program Chairman, Mrs. W. C. Braswell, who directed the program which was in keeping with the Easter theme.

A talk "What Is Appropriate in Church Music" given by Mrs. L. A. Boyd III, was very instructive. A violin solo, "Traumaria," played by Mrs. J. A. Carney, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Perdue, was very enjoyable. A piano duet, "Easter Morn," played by Mrs. W. C. Braswell and Miss Joan Clark was beautifully rendered. A discourse, "The Alleluia Season" by Mrs. J. W. English was well given. The Alleluia Chorus, sung by Mrs. Bryan Taylor, Miss Mabel Brunson, Mrs. T. D. Kendrick, Mrs. Corrine English, Mrs. W. C. Braswell, Mrs. J. C. Fleming, Mrs. J. A. Carney and accompanied by Mrs. Frank Perdue was also very much enjoyed.

Mrs. Bishop III, of Washington, D. C., and student at Alabama University, spent the week-end in Elba with his grandmother, Mrs. Will Bishop, and his aunt, Mrs. Horace Brock.

Wayne Parker, of Mobile, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parker.

Mrs. Charles Lindsey and son, Scottie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dickert in Brundidge, Wednesday.

Mrs. Julia Sego, Miss Evelyn Sego, and Mrs. N. B. Crewell, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Perdue, visited in Montgomery Wednesday.

Miss Elva Drigger spent last week-end in DeFuniak Springs, Fla., with her sister, Miss Ovie Driggers.

Mrs. Harrison Franklin and son, Charles Edwin, of Phenix City, are expected today for a visit with Mrs. Franklin's sisters, Mrs. Dave Vaughan and Mrs. Roy Devane.

Mrs. Orville Allred spent Saturday at Veterans hospital in Montgomery, where her husband is a patient. Mr. Allred has been sick for several weeks and although he has improved, his doctors still have not permitted him to come home. He has many friends here who are anxious about him and are hoping that he can soon return home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boutwell entertained at a dinner party Monday evening. A delicious plate was served at small tables. Following the meal progressive rock was enjoyed.

Lovely spring flowers were used in decoration in the living and dining rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Boutwell's guests included Mr. and Mrs. Colon Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kendrick, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Kendrick and J. Doug Kendrick.

Mr. Roy King spent last week-end in Port St. Joe, Fla., where he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brooks.

Mrs. J. A. Carney was hostess to the Fannie E. S. Heck Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. at her home on Monday afternoon.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. Sam Sawyer, circle chairman. Mrs. H. B. Larkins gave devotion, using the 20th chapter of John for Bible selection.

A lesson on home mission was taught by Mrs. G. M. Fox, assisted by Mrs. James Wise and Mrs. Sam Sawyer.

During the social hour the hostess served sandwiches, iced drinks and cookies.

The members present were: Mrs. Fulton Clark, Mrs. B. S. Franklin, Mrs. T. T. Rhodes, Mrs. Osborn Lubert, Mrs. Jake Morrow, Mrs. Sam Rowe, Mrs. M. J. Brown, Mrs. L. A. Boyd III, Mrs. James Wise, Mrs. Wesley Ham, Mrs. Curry Taylor, Mrs. Rose Clark, Mrs. Sam Sawyer, Mrs. George Collier, Mrs. H. B. Larkins, the hostess and one visitor, Mrs. John Brown.

### National Guard Open House

In observance of Army Day the 933 F. A. Bn., Alabama National Guard will have open house.

Tuesday, April 6  
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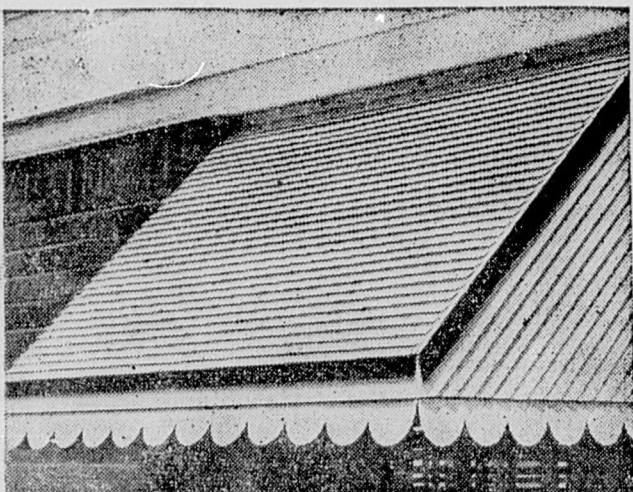
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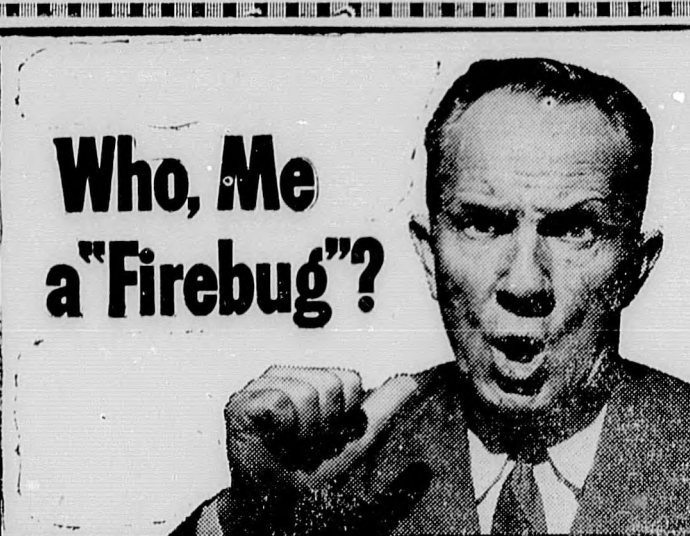
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## Miller Family In Gas Business Last 30 Years

C. O. Miller and Sons, wholesale petroleum products dealers, have a large, modernly equipped plant located in West Elba, at the corner of Kinston highway and Caroline Street. C. O. Miller started in the gas and oil and garage business nearly thirty years ago at the corner of Simmons Street and Troy highway, operating at that location until he and his two sons sold the garage and service station to the Messrs. Brown and McDowell slightly more than a year ago.

C. O. Miller and his sons, Leroy C. and Macon C., built their present plant, completing it about 15 months ago. It consists of a large concrete 50 by 80 foot building and five 10,000-gallon elevated tanks for gasoline and fuel storage. A 4,000-gallon transport tank truck makes daily trips to Mobile for the company's petroleum products supply, driven by Mr. Orlando Hicks. Two smaller tank trucks, driven by Mr. Bascom Miller, making deliveries to customers in several counties in Southeast Ala.

Both of Mr. Miller's sons saw several years of service as Marines and upon receiving their discharge, became partners in the petroleum products business under the name of C. O. Miller and Sons, handling Coastal Petroleum Products, consisting of gasoline, kerosene, tractor fuel, and heater fuel. They also carry a large stock of International Lubricant Corporation oils and greases, U. S. Royal tires for passenger cars, trucks and tractors, U. S. Warrior batteries and a general line of accessories.

Leroy has built a comfortable home adjoining the plant and is in charge of the office. Macon, with his family, is residing in Florida where he has employment.

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## Elba Girls Invited To Participate In Scholarship Program

Montevallo—Coffee County girls, Miss Helen Allday, Elba, and Miss Betty Ann Bryan, Elba, have received the honor of being invited to participate in the Alabama Honors Scholarship Competitive Program at Alabama College.

Outstanding scholastic students from the high schools in the state of Alabama will arrive on Alabama College campus, Thursday, March 25, to participate in the home scholarship competitive program. Each lady who was honored by an invitation from Alabama College was recommended by her principal and three people qualified to know her personally. Each lady was recommended individually by her principal. The honors scholarship program at Alabama College was inaugurated by the president, Dr. John T. Caldwell, October 1, 1947. This program includes the awarding of 27 scholarships to Alabama College students for the year 1948-49. On arrival on the campus on Thursday evening the high school students will register in Reynolds Hall. After dinner in the college dining room, coffee will be served in Tutwiler and Reynolds Halls where high school guests will be welcomed by the faculty and students of Alabama College. At 8:00 P. M., they will attend the sophomore play in Palmer Hall. Friday will be spent in competitive tests and will be followed by a tour of Alabama College campus and special exhibitions given by each department. The Easter parade will serve as the theme of a progressive party Friday night at which time visits will be made to all the class dormitories.

Refreshments will be served later in the evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Caldwell. Saturday morning will complete the visit of the high school students on Alabama College campus.

Alabama College students serving on the committees for Honors Scholarship program are: General Chairman, Bobby Rowe, Montgomery; Polly Gillette, Birmingham; Frances Twilley, Martha Priester, Opelika; Jean Jackson, Talladega; Hanson, Price, Pendergrass, Ft. Payne; Ramsey, Jerry, Stranier, Birmingham; Main, Jeannine, Glass, Alexander City, and Sheila Shetton, Birmingham.

While camped in North Alabama near Cedar Bluff, Gen. Sherman was approached by a group of southern women who protested against his actions of the general's troops. Sherman told the women: "I have instructions to destroy the South as far as a grasshopper."

History has it that many, disloyal southerners and deserters from the Confederate army aided Sherman in carrying out his instructions. These groups called themselves "Destroying Angels."

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## News From Kinston

By Mrs. Rayford Stephens

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowers announce the birth of an eight pound baby girl born March 15, whom they have named Jo Linda.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wood regret to learn of the death of his father in Phil Campbell, Ala., March 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlie Anderson returned home today from Winter Garden, Fla., where they visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Anderson.

Mrs. T. M. Holley left this week for a lengthy visit to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holley in Loxley and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sutherland in Mobile.

On Saturday afternoon March 6, Mrs. Frazier Paul honored the little Miss Phyllis Russo, of Andalusia with a birthday party. A number of little friends enjoyed the afternoon of games after which ice cream and cake were served. The honoree was the recipient of a number of lovely gifts. Phyllis, along with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Russo (nee Juanita Johnson) moved to Donaldsonville, Ga., this week where Mr. Russo has accepted a position to play baseball.

Mrs. C. T. Russell returned Tuesday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. Taylor and family in Opelika.

## New Insect Poison Controls Garden Insects, Diseases

Auburn—The new Auburn-approved garden dust will give excellent control of most insects and diseases that attack vegetables, API extension gardener, J. C. Ford stated this week.

The dust approved by garden, insect and plant disease specialists of the Alabama Experiment Station and Alabama Extension Service is composed of one per cent rotenone, five per cent Z-78, and a sticker. This one dust does the job alone and does away with gardeners having to keep a half-dozen poisons on hand, Ford explained.

Several manufacturers are now turning out the new dust, and Ford believes that enough will be made for all growers to have a supply. It is used in the same manner as the more familiar garden dusts.

The long list of insects killed by the material includes the Mexican bean beetle, spotted bean beetle, flea beetle, potato beetle, plant lice of all kinds, pickle worms, tomato fruit worms, melon worms, corn ear worms, squash vine borers and slugs in strawberry beds.

Among the diseases controlled are early and late blight of potatoes and potatoes, as well as leafspot on various plants.

The poison is of no help in fighting diseases and insects, such as wilt and nematodes, and are only a few insects that aren't killed by this dust or are finished off faster by other treatments, added Ford.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roberts, friends here of Mrs. Roy W. Williams and R. E. Williams, Jr., of the seventh. Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Kimbro, also other brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Kimbro, all of Columbus, Ga., to open there the first of April. Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson Ro-Dr. R. E. Williams will receive berts of New Brockton and Mr. his discharge from the Army here and Mrs. Wilson Sasser, of last of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson of Winter Garden, Fla., is spending some time here with her sister, Mrs. M. D. Rigby.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanks, of Jakin, Ga., were recent guests of her brother, Mr. Willie Rhodes and Mrs. Rhodes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. P. Nobles made a business trip to Atlanta, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Glen Harder (nee Audie Merle Clark) and small son, Roland, of Moses Lake, Wash., arrived here Monday to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Audie Clark.

The Kinston Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. W. C. Willis Thursday afternoon at 1:30. There were 14 present. The club welcomed one new member, Mrs. Bob Donaldson, Miss Oliver, the state leader met with the group and gave a short talk. A very interesting demonstration on salads was given by Miss Green. Several new salad recipes were given to each member. Miss Green also gave a short demonstration on cutting chickens. A recreational hour was enjoyed before adjournment.

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E. J. Richburg Editor

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## KINSTON NEWS

By Mrs. Rayford Stephens

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Raah of Auburn and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. House of Elba, spent a few hours here last Saturday afternoon with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Lee were among the visitors to the Azalea Trail and Bellingrath Gardens near Mobile, last Sunday.

Mr. Warren Grimes returned to his home in De Quency, La., Tuesday after spending several days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Grimes and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenza Mate and Mrs. Annie Morgan of Geneva, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Johnson.

Mrs. Herman Smith is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Smith after receiving a discharge from the Navy. Herman spent two years in the service.

Mrs. Johnny Carter was guest Sgt. and Mrs. Ray White (nee Dessie Rice Carter), in Crestview, Fla., last week-end. The Whites are the parents of a 7 pound 10 ounce baby born March 17 whom they have named Johnny Ray.

Mr. D. A. Adams is home from an Andalusia hospital where he underwent an operation for the removal of his right eye.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomie Weeks and family of Noma, Fla., were guests of relatives here the last of last week.

Mrs. Elwood Heagy (nee Sara Frances Hataway) and small children, Sunday and Eddie, of Lanecaster, Pa., are expected to arrive here Saturday to make their home with her father, Mr. A. B. Hataway. Mr. Heagy was killed in an automobile wreck several months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bradberry are spending this week-end in Tallahassee, with Mrs. James Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hataway spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Adams of Andalusia route and attended the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Eddie Adams on Sunday.

When the Prophet Francis led a band of Creek Indians in an attack on the Clarke County home of Abner James, September 1, 1813, they looted the property and left 12 of the James family for dead. Mrs. Sarah Merrill, a daughter of James, and an infant son were left lying in the yard outside the house. Mrs. Merrill had been scalped but a rain eventually came and revived her. She took her son, who was also still alive and made her way to a neighboring fort. Mrs. Merrill survived and lived until 1869, although it is said that "she could never remain long in the sun because of the wound on her head."

## Cotton Seed

Cotton seed that are two years old, if properly stored, are normally as good or better than those one year old. So farmers who have a surplus of treated cotton seed after planting time can store and save these seed for next year.

Crotalaria is a soil-enriching summer-growing legume that will pay off the many farms. Why not work crotalaria into the cropping system on your farm?

Funcha Creek is located in Pickens and Sumter Counties. The mapmaker, Mr. McToume, spelled the name Funcha on his maps, but Funacha is the original Choctaw word meaning "squirrels are here."

# Political Announcements

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Collector of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

R. Roy Hutchison, Sr. (Pd. pol. adv. by R. Roy Hutchison, Sr., New Brockton, Ala.)

FOR COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Commissioner for the Southwest District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

J. T. Pierce, (Pd. pol. adv. by J. T. Pierce, Kinston, Ala., Route 1.)

FOR COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Commissioner for the Northeast District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

T. M. Stroud, (Pd. pol. adv. by T. M. Stroud, Elba, Ala.)

FOR COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner in the Northeast District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

John D. Hornsby, (Pd. pol. adv. by John D. Hornsby, New Brockton, Rt. 2.)

FOR COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for County Commissioner in the Northeast District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

A. C. Dunaway, (Pd. pol. adv. by A. C. Dunaway, Elba, Ala.)

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Superintendent of Education of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

Kernit G. Crook, (Pd. pol. adv. by Kernit G. Crook, Elba, Ala.)

FOR COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner of Coffee County from the Southwest District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

W. B. (Bill) Wise, (Pd. pol. adv. by W. B. (Bill) Wise, New Brockton, Ala.)

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Collector of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

Doc Littleton, (Pd. pol. adv. by Doc Littleton, New Brockton, Ala.)

FOR COLLECTOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Collector of Coffee County, subject to the action of the coming Democratic Primaries. I will be grateful for your support and will be grateful for same.

W. T. Whitman, (Pd. pol. adv. by W. T. Whitman, Elba, Ala.)

FOR COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Commissioner for the Southwest District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. I will greatly appreciate your vote and influence.

J. D. Morrow, (Pd. pol. adv. by J. D. Morrow, Elba, Ala., Route 5.)

FOR COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Commissioner of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

Jim Morrow, (Pd. pol. adv. by J. N. Morrow, Elba, Ala.)

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Assessor of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections of May 4 and June 1, 1948. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

J. Gardner Clark, (Pd. pol. adv. by J. Gardner Clark, Elba, Ala.)

# About People and Things

By C. B. McDowell

## Early Bird

Although the city election will not be held until next September, R. R. Borders believes in the old adage, "the early bird catches the worm." He wishes his friends to know that he intends to qualify as a candidate for the office of Mayor of Elba as soon as the time for qualifying arrives. "Bob" is a veteran of the World War I and has been prominently identified with Elba affairs for many years.

I consider Mr. Borders one of my best friends who on several occasions, has gone out of his way to accommodate me and members of my family, and we appreciate it. Physically he is a big man and he has a big heart, and has many friends who will be interested in his candidacy.

Ira (Pete) Allen, (Pd. pol. adv. by Ira Allen, Enterprise, Ala., Route 1.)

FOR COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Commissioner for the Southeast District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. Your vote and influence is solicited and will be appreciated.

Zelma Morrow Devane, (Pd. pol. adv. by Zelma Morrow Devane, Elba, Ala.)

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Tax Collector of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held May 4 and June 1, 1948. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

Zelma Morrow Devane, (Pd. pol. adv. by Zelma Morrow Devane, Elba, Ala.)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE OF COUNTY SCHOOL WARRANTS

Notice is hereby given that the County Board of Education of Coffee County, Alabama, will sell at public sale under sealed bids \$30,000 of capital outlay warrants to be paid from the proceeds of the special 3-mill County Tax, said sale to be held at the Elba Courthouse, Coffee County, Alabama, at 11:00 A. M., Central Standard Time, March 31, 1948, warrants to be in denomination of \$1,000 each, interest not to exceed two and one-half per cent per annum, payable semiannually on September 1 and March 1 in each year, first interest payable September 1, 1948, warrants to be dated March 1, 1948, and to mature March 1 in amounts and years as follows:

1948	\$1,000
1950	1,000
1951	2,000
1952	2,000
1953	2,000
1954	2,000
1955	2,000
1956	2,000
1957	2,000
1958	2,000
1959	2,000
1960	2,000
1961	2,000
1962	3,000
1963	3,000
1964	3,000
1965	4,000
1966	4,000
1967	5,000
1968	5,000
1969	5,000
1970	5,000
1971	5,000
1972	6,000
1973	7,000

Bidders are invited to name the rate of interest that said warrants are to bear. Said warrants shall be redeemable at the option of the County Board of Education on any semiannual interest payment date on or after the expiration of five years from their date at par plus a premium which shall not exceed twelve (12) months' interest on such securities computed at the rate which such securities would bear on the redemption date. If such option had not been exercised, and accrued interest after liquidation at least once, at least thirty days before the payment date in a newspaper published or circulated in Coffee County and also in a daily newspaper published in Montgomery or Birmingham. The County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids at said sale. Each bidder must qualify by depositing certified check for \$800 by 11:00 A. M., March 31, 1948. Purchaser must pay for the printing of warrant blanks and for securing the necessary legal opinion.

THE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

OF COFFEE COUNTY

By A. C. Dunaway, Secretary and County Superintendent of Education

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# W. L. Bass Serving With Atlantic Fleet

W. L. Bass, steward's mate, second class, USN, son of John Bass, of New Brockton, Ala., is serving aboard the barracks ship USS Mercer with Submarine Group Four, Florida Group, Atlantic Reserve Fleet, at Green Cove Springs, Fla., and is engaged in the activating of surplus Navy ships.

The ships of this fleet are undergoing a change known as "Operation Zipper." Upon arrival at Green Cove Springs, the ships are placed under close supervision to avoid possible damage.

To remove chipping gum hold a piece of ice directly under the ship. This will freeze it, making it easy to pick off. If the gum leaves a stain, sponge with carbon tetrachloride.

June 4, 1946, received his recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md.

Bass entered the Naval service

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan arrived in Elba Wednesday morning from Montgomery where they have been visiting relatives and friends for the past week. Mr. Bryan has been recuperating in Cleveland, Ohio, for several weeks from a serious operation which he underwent at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., and made the trip to Montgomery by easy stages, driving about 175 miles per day.

They engaged an apartment out from Montgomery, where they will stay for a few weeks, after which they plan to come to Elba. They have no definite plans for the future, but hosts of friends hope that they will decide to again make their home here where they belong. Mr. Bryan is greatly improved in health.

PRUNING PLANTS

Where overgrown broadleaved ornamental plants have been pruned severely, pinch out terminal buds of new growth to promote spreading and pruning to prevent rapid growth to former size.

said sale to be held at the office of the County Superintendent of Education of Coffee County, Elba, Alabama, at 11:00 A. M., Central Standard Time, March 31, 1948, warrants to be in denomination of \$1,000 each, interest not to exceed two and one-half per cent per annum, payable semiannually on September 1 and March 1 in each year, first interest payable September 1, 1948, warrants to be dated March 1, 1948, and to mature March 1 in amounts and years as follows:

1948	\$1,000
1950	1,000
1951	2,000
1952	2,000
1953	2,000
1954	2,000
1955	2,000
1956	2,000
1957	2,000
1958	2,000
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1960	2,000
1961	2,000
1962	3,000
1963	3,000
1964	3,000
1965	4,000
1966	4,000
1967	5,000
1968	5,000
1969	5,000
1970	5,000
1971	5,000
1972	6,000
1973	7,000

Bidders are invited to name the rate of interest that said warrants are to bear. Said warrants shall be redeemable at the option of the County Board of Education on any semiannual interest payment date on or after the expiration of five years from their date at par plus a premium which shall not exceed twelve (12) months' interest on such securities computed at the rate which such securities would bear on the redemption date. If such option had not been exercised, and accrued interest after liquidation at least once, at least thirty days before the payment date in a newspaper published or circulated in Coffee County and also in a daily newspaper published in Montgomery or Birmingham. The County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids at said sale. Each bidder must qualify by depositing certified check for \$1,400 by 11:00 A. M., March 31, 1948. Purchaser must pay for the printing of warrant blanks and for securing the necessary legal opinion.

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OF COFFEE COUNTY

By A. C. Dunaway, Secretary and County Superintendent of Education

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With Spring in the air and hot days just ahead you'll need play suits and sun dresses. We have pastel chambrays, striped seersuckers and white linens that will wear and wash beautifully.

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# ATTEND Easter Services

In The Churches of Elba



Attend church services with your family and your friends. The doors of the church are open to welcome you within . . . embrace you on this glorious day in sacred worship of His resurrection. You, your family, your friends will enjoy the beauty and magnificence of the services . . . the feeling of goodwill derived from the significance of Easter. Come to church this March 28th.

## Assembly of God

Kie Sasser, Pastor

Sunday School — 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship — 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Worship — 7:00 P. M.

## Baptist Church

O. M. Fox, Pastor

Sunday School — 9:45 A. M.  
Easter Service — 11:00 A. M.  
Training Union — 6:30 P. M.  
Evening Worship — 7:30 P. M.  
Special Easter music at morning services.

## Church of Christ

J. C. Dixon, Pastor

Bible Study — 10:00 A. M.

## Church of God

Floyd Johnson, Pastor

Sunday School — 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Service — 11:00 A. M.  
Evening Worship — 7:30 P. M.

## Methodist Church

W. M. Sproles, Pastor

Sunday School — 9:45 A. M.  
Morning Service — 11:00 A. M.  
Youth Fellowship — 6:30 P. M.  
Easter Cantata — 7:30 P. M.  
Directed by Mrs. Ed Cooper

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Whitman Drug Company  
Citizen's Grocery

Thursday, March 25, 1948

## Births In February Listed By County Health Dept.

The following is a list of births reported to the County Health Department during the month of February, 1948:

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen, boy; Cardwell, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Alford, girl; Wm. Chessie Cain, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Delarquette, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rae Davis, boy; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. E. Elen, Burkett, girl; Mr. and Mrs. John Bradshaw, boy; Mr. and Mrs. R. Forehand, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Pillingin, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Boswell, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harris Grimes, boy; Mrs. Tom Boutwell, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Rongo Grady, girl; Mrs. James M. Bryan, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer P. Lammont, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ledger, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Max McDaniel, girl; Mr. and Mrs. James Hayes Maddox, girl; Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Moore, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Buster Nelson, twin girls; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Norris, girl; Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Padgett, boy; Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Span,



Fuller's Radio Shop  
Phone 207, Elba, Ala.

## Closing Thursday Afternoons

Beginning the first of April we will be closed every Thursday afternoon until further notice.

## Boutwell & King

Automobile Repairs

## Old Age Coming?

Naturally! And it's nothing to be sad about providing you provide for it! Save a few dollars every month and face the future contentedly.

## ELBA EXCHANGE BANK

## "Here's a letter from a farmer about an experience he had with natural soda on his hay. I hope what he has to say may help you get more cuttings, too."

Uncle Natchel



## FARMER'S FORUM

"I have been fertilizing before planting my hay crops, and this gave me two cuttings. Last year I top dressed with Chilean Nitrate of Soda on two acres after the first cutting. This was ready for the second cutting ten days before the rest of the field. It also produced a third before frost. This year I top dressed all of it with Chilean Soda after the first cutting and will get three cuttings instead of two."

from UNCLE NATCHEL'S  
BOOK OF EXPERIENCE

Natural  
CHILEAN NITRATE of SODA

## Everybody's Invited To Big Square Dance Callers' School

All day Saturday, April 3, is Square Dance Day in Montgomery.

Everybody in the state is invited to come.

To top off the day, there will be the biggest square dance in three years at the Montgomery City Auditorium. Music, true sides and rigas as rain, will be stomped out by the "Strawberry Pickers," Governor Folger's campaign band.

Here are some of the famous experts who have been invited to come and teach new callers during the day, and to be on and to call which way to wing your partner that night: David B. Hendrix of 23 years' experience in Tennessee; Charley Thomas, Camden, N. J., editor of American Squares, a national magazine devoted to folk dances; R. D. "Pop" Parks of Montgomery, leader of the popular "Track and Dot Ramblers"; and Nat Welch, the southern farmer's own caller, who have even invited Don East, professor at Oglethorpe University, famous all over Georgia as the man who can make a square dance move.

Sponsored by the Southern Farmer Square Dance, farm leaders, 4-H Club and FFA directors, union leaders and dance hall owners are especially urged to attend. Write Nat Welch, Square Dance Caller, Southern Farmer, Montgomery 1, Ala., for further information.

Instruction in the school begins at ten that morning. The big dance begins at eight that night and keeps rolling until midnight.

If the City Auditorium gets too crowded, there is a wide sidewalk out front, and the music will be plenty loud. Everybody is invited and everybody is expected to come.



## Green Feed A "Must" In Growing Chicks

Alabama poultry producers have found that the value of green feed in growing out high quality pullets and in egg production cannot be stressed too much.

Now is the time that they are seeing that both the growing and production flocks are provided with plenty of green feed. Birds and eggs can be produced cheaper with this feed, and the mortality can be greatly lowered, the producers state.

Many growers are planning to grow enough corn to supply 75 per cent of their poultry feed requirements for 1948-49. One bushel of corn per hen per year is needed, says John Ivey, API extension poultryman. He adds that yellow corn is better for chicks than white corn.

Four days after a crop is planted, use of tooth weeder and rotary hoes on light soil and section harrows and rotary hoes on heavy soil is effective in weed control. These tools can be used profitably every four or five days until the crop has grown to a height of six inches. Row cultivation from then on will be cut down and yields increased.

## If Stomach Gas or Sour Food Taste Robs You of Sleep

Here's How You May Help, Whether You Eat 500 Pounds or 2000 Pounds of Food

In a Year

You can't feel cheerful, be happy or sleep well, if your stomach is uneasy. As you advance the "old stomach" problem, you will find that the stomach is the key to your health. Break-up certain food particles; the food may ferment, sour, and cause gas and frequently cause a mild, but very real, general condition, loss of appetite, underweight, restlessness, etc.

To get real relief you must treat the cause of the trouble. In this case, the cause is the stomach. The stomach is the key to your health. Break-up certain food particles; the food may ferment, sour, and cause gas and frequently cause a mild, but very real, general condition, loss of appetite, underweight, restlessness, etc.

Now making their heaviest investment of the year for items to be used, farmers are making sure they are prepared for the season's work, reports A. W. Jones, API extension marketing specialist. He says some of the questions producers might ask themselves at this time include: "Do I have the kind and amount of planting seed and fertilizers needed during the year?"

"Have I secured the kind and amount of insecticides needed for the crops I am planning to grow?"

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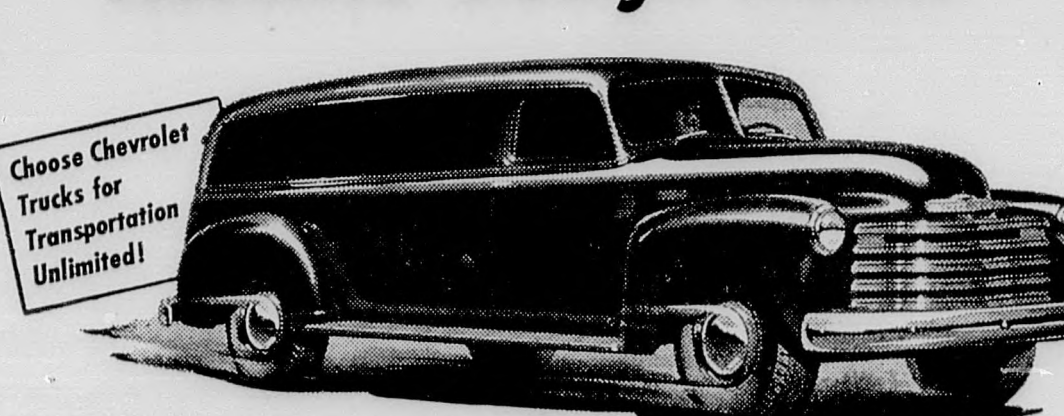
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NEW CHEVROLET 4-SPEED SYNCHRONIZED TRUCK TRANSMISSION in heavy-duty models that assures new operating ease and efficiency.

NEW STEERING COLUMN GEARSHIFT CONTROL in models with 3-speed transmission provides greater driving ease and convenience.

NEW FOOT-OPERATED PARKING BRAKE providing clear floor area, safety and efficiency in models with 3-speed transmissions.

SPINLED REAR-AXLE SHAFT ATTACHMENT to wheel hub of greater strength and durability in heavy-duty models.

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THE CAB THAT "BREATHES"—Fresh-air-heated in cold weather—is down in and used air forced out.

PLUS—Full-weld, all-steel cab construction—New, heavier springs—Full-floating hypoid rear axles—Specially designed brakes—Ball-bearing steering—Wide base wheels—and many other features.

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BLEED THROUGH



## Token Sale Nets \$14,000 For Crippled Children's Clinic

Montgomery — Commander J. A. Lane of the Alabama Department, American Legion, announced today that collection of sales tax tokens was approximately \$14,000 to be given to the Crippled Children's Clinic in Birmingham.

"We are still receiving collections from Posts throughout the state," said Commander Lane, "and I want to urge all Posts that have token collections on hand to send them to Department Headquarters in Montgomery before March 31, the deadline for redemption."

Commander Lane presented a check for \$10,000 to Harris Burns, president of the clinic between halves of the New Years Day Dixie Bowl football game in Birmingham. The remainder of the collections will be turned over to the Clinic as soon as the State Revenue Department completes the count of tokens and presents the check to the Legion.

"This, to my mind, is one of the most worthwhile projects the Legions has undertaken this year," said Commander Lane, "as it contributes to a clinic serving all the crippled children of Alabama."

"Child welfare is one of the state and national, and this is a real contribution to that program. I hope every stray token will be rounded up in the last few days and forwarded for redemption."

The idea of the Legion collecting the tokens for redemption on behalf of the Crippled Children's Clinic originated with Arthur Greenwood, widely known Legionnaire and restaurateur in Birmingham. The American Legion was given the wholehearted co-operation of newspaper boys, school children and others in making the collections.

Some farmers find it a good plan to let part of their oats mature so they can graze their hogs on them in late May and June and until early corn is ready.

You should never immerse a vacuum jar or bottle in water. To clean, fill with warm water, shake and rinse. You may use a bottle brush if necessary.

In preparing fruit-flavored gelatin salads and desserts, use citrus juice as the liquid. It will add much to the flavor of the food and make it more nutritious.

Children can be protected from measles by immunization within four days after they have been exposed. This is strongly recommended for all children three years and under and for persons of all ages who have no thad measles and whose general health is poor.

"If we are independent then both parties will bid for our support as they now cater to the Northern elements," The Savannah (Ga.) Morning News.

"No sensible citizen can honestly support the President's plan to abolish racial segregation," Frank D. Upchurch.

## Classified Advertising

FOR SALE — 1936 Master Chevrolet. Runs good. New tires, good mechanical condition. \$250.00 Robert H. Glenn, Claire Theatre. 25Mar1p

FRYERS FOR SALE — New Hampshire Reds. Mrs. Ted Prescott on Brantley Highway. 18Mar1c

BEAUTIFY YOUR HOME  
Asbestos or brick siding will beautify as well as protect your home. Expertly installed by our workmen.  
Jones Bros. Roofing Co., Mont'g Local Agent, Bob Farley, 202 Covington Ave., Phone 268 Opp. Ala. 19Feb1c

FOR SALE — P. O. J. seed cane. C. L. Stanton, Elba, Route 5. 18Mar1p

MALE HELP WANTED — Reliable man with car wanted to call on farmers in Coffee County. Wonderful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 a day. No experience or capital required. Permanent. Write today. McKee Company, Dept. A, Freeport, Ill. 18Mar2p

FOR SALE — 275 acres of timber land 10 miles north of Elba on Glenwood road. See D. B. Perdue, Elba. 5Mar1c

FOR RENT — Nice 100-acre pasture for dry cows two miles from town on Taylor Mill Road. See Chappell Garage. 11Mar3p

FOR SALE — Duncan Phytel dining room suite, Mahogany. Six chairs, table, buffet and china closet. Practically new. Mrs. A. C. Dunaway. 11Mar1c

FOR SALE — Practically new sheet iron wood stove, pipe; 3 tarpaulins. C. B. McDowell, West Elba. 19Feb1c

WANTED TO TRADE — 1937 four-door Plymouth for pick-up (any kind) or will sell for \$305. Phone 26 Opp or apply 302 Barnes St. 11Mar1c

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Don't let old man weather get the best of your home. Call us today for re-roofing strips, or oil-up roofs. Free estimates. Easy Terms.

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FOR RENT — One 3-room apartment newly painted. Unfurnished. Call or write Mrs. Henrietta Till, Brewton, Ala. 25Mar1c

FOR SALE — Lowellyn Setter pups. Good breeding, just right to train next season. Inquire at County Agent's office or call Bill Kennedy, Phone 222-J Enterprise. 25Mar1p

FOR SALE — Pre-war 100-lb. capacity cooler ice refrigerator. White enamel. C. C. Chapman, Jack, Ala. 25Mar2p

CARD OF THANKS  
Words cannot express our heart-felt thanks and deep appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and help shown us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and daughter, Jewel Cook. Especially do we thank you for all the beautiful flowers. The liberal response makes us feel that we are truly living among friends who have the love of God in their hearts, and we have not the words to express our appreciation to each and every one who have been so kind and thoughtful of us during our sadness. May God's richest blessing be with each of you, is our prayer.

Lester Cook,  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Adkison and Family.

Nuts are delicious in muffins, cakes, biscuits, and waffles. Use from one-fourth to one-half cup of nuts for each cup of flour.

## CRIPPLED CHILDREN . . .

(Continued from page 1)

for treatment in Coffee County 199 children for 1948. These children cannot receive the treatment they need and deserve without the funds with which to operate the crippled children's program. The doctors usually give their services free, but hospital care, braces, bandages and other necessities cost money—lots of money. A few dollars contributed to this fund will be the means of some crippled child walking and earning a living.

The Elba Lions Club has agreed to serve as solicitors for the fund in Elba. When a Lion calls on you, give with a free heart, because your money could not be spent for a better purpose. If you are not solicited for your contribution, it may be given to Jake Bonneau, chairman for Elba, or to Eric Paul, county chairman.

It should be borne in mind that there is no conflict between the program of the March of Dimes and that of the Crippled Children's Society. They work in different fields. The March of Dimes deals with patients, regardless of financial ability, who are afflicted with "Polio," while the Crippled Children's Society lends its aid to crippled children who are not able to pay for treatment and are crippled from any cause.

There is a chairman appointed for every community in Coffee County. Persons living outside of Elba who wish to contribute to this worthy cause give their contributions to the chairman of their local community.

The work carried on by this society concerns all of us. We should all be interested in its success.

## MORE TREES . . .

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and Cold Storage Operator, Charles M. Mallory, farmer, Louis Prestwood, farmer; Baxter Bryant, Manager Standard Oil Co.; David Johnson, farmer.

In this campaign it is being shown that your woods can be improved by removing trees of little value. Often you can sell such trees and thus kill two birds with one stone. The crooked tree needs to come out to make room for better trees. The fire-scarred tree is too badly damaged to be of real value. Fire scars invite the entrance of boring insects. A diseased tree not only is of little value itself, but is a danger to other trees. A branchy tree can yield few, if any, good logs. It takes too much space. These are all bad actors in your woods. Get rid of them, and give better trees a better chance. These were some of the things stressed by Mr. Mattlage and seemed to make a profound impression on the class of boys.

The importance of fire prevention is also being stressed by Messrs. Mattlage and Wilson who are cooperating with County Forester Jack Conaway.

## CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our sincere appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the recent death of our daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Anderson.

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I want to express my deep appreciation to the Harper family, Mrs. Sanders, and others who were so kind to me in the death of my baby.

Lee Family.

It's a good idea to have a yearly "weeding out" of worn-out kitchen utensils to save extra work and valuable storage space.

## Smokey Says:

BOY-AM I TIRED—ZZZZZZZ  
NO MORE WOODS TO BURN—NO MORE FIRE DANGERS—NO MORE SMOKE—



There may be no heaven on earth, but "Smokey" thinks absence of wild fire in the woods would be near to it. Your community, too, can be far more attractive and prosperous if you do your part to prevent wild fires.



SCRIPTURE: John 21:1-14; Colossians 3:14, 15; 1 John 5:11-13  
DEVOTIONAL READING: John 14:26

## Eternal Life

Lesson for March 28, 1948

"THE Lord has risen indeed," and because he lives, we too shall live. Easter is the day that reminds us of this blessed truth—the truth of eternal life. Well has Henry Burton expressed it in these lines:

"There's a light upon the mountain,  
And the day is at the spring;  
When our eyes shall see the heavenly  
And the glory of the King,  
Weary was our heart with waiting,  
But his triumph day is breaking,  
And we hail it with a song."

"He is breaking down the barriers;  
He is calling for his angels;  
To build up the gates of day;  
But his angels here are human,  
Not the shining hosts of heaven,  
And the dreams of his army  
Are the heartbeats of our love."

READ John 21:1-14 for the exquisite account of Jesus appearing to his disciples in the early morning at the sea of Tiberias. They had been fishing all night, and had taken nothing.

Bringing their boat near to the shore, they saw one standing there, but the disciples knew not that it was Jesus. Jesus told them to cast their net on the right side of the boat, which they did, and they caught 153 "great fishes." Jesus then summoned them to breakfast. He had prepared the bread and fish on coals of fire. And they did eat.

## BLESSED ASSURANCE

BEFORE his death, Jesus had said to his disciples, "Because I live, you will live also," John 14:19, but they did not fully grasp the meaning of the great words. But that morning on the sea shore, they understood. They remembered that he had died on the cross, and now they were assured that he was really alive, for this was the third time he had appeared unto the disciples after the resurrection.

How happy they must have been! How happy they should be on this recurring Easter season, assured that he is alive evermore. And because he lives, we too shall live.

## WHAT IS ETERNAL LIFE?

SUNDAY'S lesson leads us on to the answer to the question, What is eternal life? In Colossians 3:1-4 and 12-17, we have the declaration, "Your life is hid with Christ in God. . . . If we have believed on him, cast ourselves in implicit trust into his keeping — we have eternal life, which is his gift to every believing heart."

Paul goes on to admonish those who have "entered into life eternal," through faith in the risen, reigning Savior, to put on the garments of his presence and power and peace — kindness, humility, meekness, long-suffering, forbearance, forgiveness.

The evidence of eternal life is to be found in the fruits of the Spirit in our daily lives.

## CERTAINTY OF ETERNAL LIFE

WE READ in John 17:3 this word of further assurance, "This is eternal life, that they know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent." And in 1 John 5:11-12, we read, "And this is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in his Son. He that hath the Son hath life; and he that hath not the Son of God hath not life."

In another passage John tells that we know that we have passed from death unto life because we love the brethren.

Easter is the day of eternal hope. It lifts above the fog of earthiness the glory of the blessed hope that fades not away. We have God's own testimony that we shall live with him forever, through Jesus Christ, our risen, reigning, returning Lord.

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## Our Richest Treasure

The Bible walks the ways of all the world with familiar feet and enters land after land to find its own everywhere. Children listen to its stories with wonder and delight, and wise men ponder them as parables of life. The wicked and the proud tremble at its warnings, but to the wounded and the penitent it has a mother's voice. It has woven itself into our dearest dreams; so that love, friendship, sympathy, devotion, memory, hope, put on the beautiful garments of its treasured speech. No man is poor or desolate who has this treasure for his own. —Henry Van Dyke.

## Letter To Mayor

### Mullins

Mayor L. P. Mullins recently received the following letter from W. D. Black, Superintendent of the A. C. L. Railroad Company in regard to parking cars and trucks to near railroad tracks:

Dear Mr. Mullins: At this time and for some time past, in an effort to solicit the hearty cooperation of all cities and towns in our further efforts to reduce accidents of all kinds, I am addressing all Mayors of the principal points on the Atlantic Coast Line under my jurisdiction in Alabama, Georgia and Florida, asking for their assistance, where practicable, in an effort to prevent the parking of automobiles at points adjacent to our tracks.

Unfortunately, this condition is getting worse and as a result we have had several accidents of this kind over my territory within the past year. A great many automobiles and truck drivers apparently do not realize the danger in parking too close to tracks, and in many instances if there is no accident, trains and cars have to stop and look up drivers to have automobiles and trucks removed.

Your hearty cooperation in

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## A Lifetime Gone Up In Flames

All your life you work for the security of a home. Yet once a house is purchased, so many people neglect to keep it safe with fire insurance of property. Don't risk the goal of a lifetime. Fire insurance means so much, costs so little. Inquire now.

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